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Attention, Co. "H!"

PORTSMOUTH, OHIO, November 7, 1898.

To All Members Co. H, Fourth Ohio V. I:

We desire to extend to you our heartfelt congratulations upon your safe return to home and friends after the hardships and dangers through which you have recently passed.

We can conceive of no better method of expressing to you our profound respect for the spirit of patriotism and manly valor that prompted you to so nobly respond to our country's call than to do so in a substantial manner and in a way that will appeal to your purse.

Therefore, a Special Discount of Ten Per Cent from our present low prices on Clothing and Furnishing Goods will be given to any member of Co. "H," who will call on us on or before Nov. 20th. This offer applies only to members of the company and for such goods as you may need for your own personal use.

Trusting we may soon have the pleasure of personally congratulating you upon your safe return, and that you will feel no hesitancy in accepting the above offer, we are Respectfully Yours,

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Anderson Bros.,

Home Shoe Factory Stores.

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POSTPONED

Was the Peace Commission Meeting Set for Today.

Failure to Hold Meeting Chiefly Due to Request of Americans That They Had Not Prepared Their Reply.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Paris, Nov. 8.—The Spanish peace commissioners have notified Mr. Delcasse, French minister of foreign affairs, that the joint session set for today will not be held and that they will notify the minister when they have determined on a date for another meeting.

Inquiry developed the fact that the failure to hold the meeting of the commissioners today was due to the Americans asking postponement till tomorrow, to give time for translating the reply of the United States to the latest Spanish propositions regarding the Philippine Islands received this morning.

Not Known at Washington.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washingon, D. C., Nov. 8.—The state department has no official advices of any break in the negotiations of the peace commission in Paris. If any had occurred the department would be advised at once. The French embassy has sent the state department a statement of Cuban and Porto Rican bonds held by French subjects, but no indication of the purpose was given.

ON CAT ISLAND

The Maria Teresa Is Reported to Have Stranded—May Be Saved.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 8.—The naval department, acting on newspaper advices of the reported stranding of the Maria Teresa on Cat Island, has sent orders to Vulcan, at Norfolk, and Potomac, at Santiago, to proceed immediately to Cat Island and save the vessel, if possible. The vessels should reach the scene in forty-eight hours.

McKinley's Movements.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Pittsburg, Nov. 8.—President McKinley passed through the city at 7:30 today and is expected back at about six this evening, after having cast his vote at Canton.

Joe Wheeler's Sword.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Huntsville, Ala., Nov. 8.—The Fifteenth United States Infantry, ordered to leave tomorrow for Cuba, has been ordered to remain here. Gen. Wheeler will go to Nashville tomorrow to accept a sword from the Daughters of the Revolution.

The Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Nov. 8. — Hogs, dull, lower, $3.25, $3.75; cattle, steady; beeves, $4.00, $5.50.

BADLY HURT

Was Warren Corriell by a Fall from a Bicycle Last Night.

Warren Corriell, foreman at the Portsmouth Paving Brick Co., was called to Lucasville Monday on business, and to get there in a hurry he mounted his bicycle. He reached Lucasville allright, but on his return, coming down a hill at a rapid rate, about three miles from Lucasville, his handle-bars suddenly broke, causing him to be thrown into the air. He fell heavily on his face and lay in the road for some time unconscious. When he picked himself up he was a sight, his face being terribly lacerated and he was otherwise badly bruised. He then shouldered his wheel and made the balance of the trip on foot. He is a very sore man today, and it is not safe to mention wheel to him.

Special Thanksgiving Service.

In compliance with the request of the committee of arrangements, a special service of thanksgiving for the safe return of our soldier boys will be held at the First Presbyterian church on next Sabbath evening. A sermon appropriate to the occasion will be delivered by the pastor upon the theme—"The Soldiers Return."

All members of Co. H. and their friends, whose affiliations are with this church and all who have no other church home are cordially invited.

Car Goes to Cincinnati.

C. P. & V. private car No. 10, formerly Presidents Hunts car after being overhauled in the shops was sent to Cincinnati this afternoon.

"FATHER DYING"

Flashed Over the Wires to Our City Editor This Afternoon.

McConnellsville, O., Nov. 8.—12:45 p. m.—H. E. Taylor, Portsmouth, O. —Father dying. Come home at once. G. M. TAYLOR.

This was the sad message clicked over the wires this afternoon to Mr. H. E. Taylor. He leaves for his father's bedside at once. He was with his father a few days last week and came back encouraged at his condition, feeling that the worst was over, but, from the startling intelligence conveyed in the above telegram, proved otherwise.

Mr. Talyor's associates in the office would willingly share with him this great grief, if it were possible. We sincerely sympathize with him, as do all his friends throughout the city.

QUIETLY

And Slowly the Ballots Are Being Deposited Today.

Unless it had been previously announced, there would be no way to tell that a great election was being held today. The vote is remarkably light, and quiet reigns supreme. Latest reports from the different voting places indicate that only about a two-thirds vote will be polled.

THE BREWERIES

Are Up and At It Again in Full Force.

This Time It Means Something—The Price Will Surely Go to $2.00 per Keg if Syndicate Can Control.

Thirteen Cincinnati breweries have at last been absorbed by the snydicate. The property changed hands a few days ago They are now operated and controlled as one plant. The primary object is to crush out all little plants, to lessen the running expense and to raise the price of beer to $2.00 per keg. But all this cannot be accomplished without another big fight. The Gambrinus Stock Co., Moerlein's, Hauck's, Lackman's and the Lion people refused to enter the combination and have formed a strong alliance between themselves and will fight to the bitter end. This will in all probability affect the price of beer in Portsmouth in a short time, for before the syndicate can control tthe market they must first dispose of those plants who refuse to enter the deal, and the only way to do that is to undersell them until they are forced to give up. It will be the hope of all beer drinkers that their bank accounts will hold out and that the fight will go on forever.

A PROMINENT VISITOR

W. J. Shumate, a Life Long Friend of Capt. Milstead, in the City.

W. J. Shumate, a wholesale hat merchant of Cincinnati, is in the city for a conference with the Portsmouth Hat and Glove Co., of which company he is a member. He and Capt. Milstead are life-long friends and always enjoy a good time together. The Captain tells a good story of how they became acquainted years ago down in "old Kentuck." The Captain was a railroad agent at a little station on a branch railroad line when Mr. Shumate came along after the train had left the station and wanted to go about ten miles up the road that night. The Captain told him the train had gone and "God only knew when it would get back for another trip", but that he would rig up the old hand-car and take him over, which he accordingly did, and cemented their friendship forever.

Special Notice.

All members of Co. H, who enlisted in the war with Spain, are requested to meet at the armory at 5 o'clock, standard time, Wednesday evening for the purpose of attending a banquet to be given them at Seels' hall.

Broke the Harness.

Dr. Marcum's horse became frightened at a train at Lincoln and Waller streets this morning. It broke its harness all to pieces and broke the buggy shafts.

Old Landmark Gone.

Cadot's old stove sign was torn down this morning, thus removing the last mark of business from the building which once was the scene of so much activity.

ELECTIONS

In Ohio Voters Are Only Fairly Active,

While in Kentucky Listlessness Rules—Great Activity Reported in New York—No Trouble Reported.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Cincinnati, Nov. 8.—The weather throughout the state, and indeed throughout the whole country, is reported free from rain. In a few places it is clear and cold, but in most localities the report is, cloudy and threatening. In Ohio interest in the election is fairly active.

In Kentucky listlessness rules and a very light vote is expected. Louisville alone is expected to fall 20,000 votes below two years ago.

Great activity is shown in New York City. No trouble was reported anywhere at the opening of the polls.

New York Vote.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

New York, Nov. 8.—Conditions throughout the state are good for as full a vote outside the city of New York, as in any former year.

Light Vote in Ohio.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Columbus, Nov. 8. — Reports at headquarters of both committees indicate the vote in Ohio this year to be fifteen per cent. less than that of last year. Republicans say both parties will be equally affected, but Democarts claim it means gains for them.

Uncertain in West Virginia.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 8.—Weather fair throughout the state and both parties are confident. Republicans claim the election of all four congressmen and the legislature.

Large Vote in Indiana.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 8.—A fairly heavy vote was cast here. Advices received at the Republican state headquarters indicate that a large Republican vote was polled for an off year.

Bad Weather in Colorado.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Denver, Nov. 8.—A snow storm has been prevailing quite generally in Colorado today. Republican managers think the storm has cut down the fusion majorities in the mountain districts and that the Republican ticket will be elected.

First Reporten.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

New Bedford, Mass., Nov. 8.—The first two to report the result of the election was Acushnet. It was as follows: Wolcott (Rep.) 61; Brice (Dem.) 3. Last year the vote stood 45 to 3.

Trouble With Colored Voters.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Wilimngton, Nov. 8.—There has been no trouble with blacks here at the election, though not more than fifteen per cent of the negro vote was polled. At New Bern the negro vote was polled in full.

The President Votes.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Canton, Nov. 8.—President McKinley, soon after his arrival at the Barber home, walked to the polling place in company with eight or ten friends and deposited his ballot, taking very little more than one minute for the purpose.

The next pair of shoes buy at Lehmann's.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKETS.

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Food Commissioner ..... JOHN BAKER
State Board Public Works ..... T. DWIGHT PAUL

DISTRICT TICKET.

Congress ..... HON. ALVA CRABTREE
Judge of Common Pleas ..... JOHN T. MOORE
Judge of Circuit Court ..... HENRY L. DICKEY

COUNTY TICKET.

Auditor ..... M. G. CHANDLER
Sheriff ..... MELVIN FUNK
Clerk ..... THOS B. LAWSON
Commissioner ..... SAMUEL MONROE
Infirmary Director ..... EDWARD NEARY
Coroner ..... J. B. GILSON

There is every reason to believe bossism will get a heavy jolt today all over the country, for the people usually right things in their own way.

Justice cannot quicken the dead, but it will restrain the living and punish the guilty. Human law may not deal out justice to the spy and tattler, but his conscience and the contempt of his fellowmen and comrades will make life unendurable. He who abuses his power and he who seeks preferment at the expense of the reputations of others much more worthy, will live to receive the contempt and execrations of all honest men.

The boys are home, yet the muster-out roll has not been called. They are now on American soil and the soldier that has the courage to write a true history of the Porto Rican campaign will do a favor for the citizens of Portsmouth in letting light in on the dishonesty and double-dealing of the persons who dishonored the boys of Company H. The tyrannical rule of Coit no longer holds sway over the soldier who gives a true history. Nothing would do more to exhonerate the company than the attempted court-martialing of the boy in blue who fearlessly tells the truth.

Whatever may be the result of today's election, the stigma of the gang will still remain on this county and city. The power of one man will remain. Clark dictates the actions of our city and county officials, and failing to control as he did in the case of Mr. Sikes, he, assisted by the men whom he has given and others to whom he has promised office, drives them into retirement. He virtually rules the primaries and the party, thus usurping the rights of the individual. The important local affairs of the city and county are thus left absolutely in the hands of Clark and his coterie of lieutenants. Under this system no citizen can secure a nomination at the Republican primaries unless he sees the boss and secures his consent, and even then he must wait his allotted time. The candidates of future years are already on the chess-board awaiting the movements of the boss. The system of surveillance is getting very irksome to men, far Clark's superior in intellect and intelligence. Such conditions will continue to exist so long as the people bow their necks to the yoke. It must be humiliating to an official of the great county of Scioto to be merely the mouth-piece of Clark and his henchmen.

Stahler Bros. have the only line of buggy robes and horse blankets in the city.

A WASTED LIFE.

"Nothing but Leaves" the Subject of a Sermon.

Eloquently Delivered by Rev. W. H. Miller at the Sixth M. E. Church Sunday Evening.

Rev. W. H. Miller, of Sixth Street M. E. church, preached an eloquent sermon Sunday evening on the subject of "A Wasted Life," from the text found in the twenty-first chapter of Matthew and sixteenth verse: "Nothing but leaves."

The following is a short abstract: "Every look, every word during Christ's journey teaches us some great truth of God. Christ makes the fig tree teach us a valuable lesson—a lesson for his people and for those who are not his people. Christ came to the fig tree, seeking its fruits. He came because he was hungry. He came to the fig tree because it grew for the purpose of bringing forth fruit. The tree gave every indication of having accomplished its purpose, but a closer examination proved that it produced nothing but leaves, and Christ was disappointed. God never gave a life without exacting something from it. We live to fill some place in this world. We have been created for a purpose. Go into a machine shop and you will find every machine and part thereof has its particular plane. So in our lives. We all have a place to fill, and our accountability to God for the manner in which we live is a serious thought. Our responsibility to God should receive our serious consideration. Each should ask, what am I to do in this great field of activity? What does Christ expect of us? Life has a twofold purpose—righteousness in ourselves and blessings to the world. In righteousness a soul may live for eternity, this earth being but the vestibule to that great temple of God, made for those who live a true Christian life. No man liveth unto himself; he could not if he would. There are many who would if they could. Christianity lifts us all out of self and places us upon a broader platform, so that we may live for the Christian progress of all people, whether Jew or Gentile. Christ was not a Jew in a true sense, although he was born among Jewish people. There was something peculiarly strange about the life of Christ. He was never more than fifty miles from home, yet he became a leader. The high and the low found in him a helper. He was able to meet the emergency of all. Christ is no doubt disappointed with many people of this world, as he was under the fig tree. The tree had the appearance of having produced fruit, but on it there was nothing but leaves—a mere pretense to having filled its mission. Many a soul has gone through life with favorable opportunities, but has failed to embrace any of them. What benefit is the life that is lived for society alone? It is wonderful how much we live for display, that which is nothing but leaves. How much time is wasted in this manner, living a life of show. Many apparent Christian lives are mere pretenses, but the society lives soon begin to decay and are eventually lost forever. God is looking for kings, but he cares not for their beautiful foliage. He wants them with pure hearts, that will live righteous lives."

General Gilmore Ill.

Washington, Nov. 8.—General John C. Gilmore, adjutant general at the headquarters of the army, is seriously ill with malarial fever at his residence in this city, as a result of exposure in Cuba and Porto Rico with Major General Miles.

A Hard Pie.

That German was a delight, her cookery was often vile, but she was amusing. Her first efforts at pastry making were lamentable. "Margarete, what was the matter with the apple tart? The crust was like a stone." "Oh, madame, I voorked so harrd. I said to myself, 'Now ze harrder I voork ze better it will be,' so I rolled and I rolled, and I used all my strengzt, and now it is von stone."

One morning Margarete bounces into my room and bursts out in an injured voice, "Madame, does our coachman belong to my towel?" At last I discover that she refers to the round towel in the scullery, on which the offender had wiped his hands in passing.—Cornhill Magazine.

Angelic Acid.

Apropos of acids, there is an angelic acid, obtained from that most graceful of our umbelliferous plants, cultivated in England in the sixteenth century as a pot herb and still used as a candied sweetmeat. From this "herb angelick," or "root of the Holy Ghost," whose fragrance was reputed good against poison and pestilence, was also distilled a perfume, charmingly named angel water, affected by the beauties of the seventeenth century. "I met," says Sedley, "the prettiest creature in New Springgarden. Angel water was the worst scent about her."—Cornhill Magazine.

Hood's Pills

Should be in every family medicine chest and every traveller's grip. They are invaluable when the stomach is out of order; cure headache, biliousness, and all liver troubles. Mild and efficient. 25 cents.

Dress Goods Bargains!

We offer this week 50 pieces Wool Dress Goods, 36 and 38 inches wide, all new fall styles, worth 35c and 40c a yard.

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Heavy Half Wool Blankets, grey and white, 10-4, $1.10.
Heavy Half Wool Blankets, white only, 11-4, $1.45.
Cotton Blankets 45c, 65c, 75c, 80c.
Large Heavy Comforts 54c, 75c, 90c, $1.00, $1.10.

Connolley's Store.

DOTS AND DASHES.

Many Important Facts Stated in as Few Words as Possible.

Emperor William will visit Spain.

Zola, the French novelist, will lecture in the United States.

Yellow fever is spreading with alarming rapidity in Havana.

David Kahnweiler, inventor of the cork jacket life preserver, is dead at New York.

The Bank of Spain has advanced to the treasury 60,000,000 pesetas for current expenses.

Andrew Scheaf, 60, a Columbus, O., politician, was sandbagged by highwaymen and killed.

Richard Brown, a Louisville railroad switchman, was killed a half hour after he had prophesied his death.

Mr. C. T. Higgy, a well-known Columbus, O., traveling man, mysteriously disappeared. Foul play is feared.

Members of the Spanish cabinet assert that there will be three or four more sittings of the peace conference at Paris.

Casper Leon was given the decision over Joe Church at Chicago at the end of a six-round bout. The fight was Leon's all the way.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Nov. 7.

NEW YORK.

Beef—Family, $11 00@12 00; extra mess, $8 00@8 75; packed, $9 00@10 50. Cut meats—Pickled bellies 6½@7½c; pickled shoulders, 4¾c; pickled hams, 7¾@8c. Lard—Western steam, $6 45. Pork—Old mess, $11 75@12 25.

Butter—Western dairy, 14½@18½c; creamery, 14½@18½c; do factory, 11@14c. Cheese—Large white, 8⅝c; small white, 9c; large colored, 8⅝c; small colored, 9c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 11@12c; western fres., 17½c.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 76¼c. Corn—No. 2, 39⅝c. Oats—No. 2, 29¼c.

PITTSBURG.

Cattle—Prime, $5 25@5 40; good, $4 90@5 10; tidy butchers', $4 50@4 75; fair, $4 20@4 40; heifers, $3 25@4 40; bulls, stags and cows, $2 25@3 85; fresh cows, $3 00@5 00. Calves—$7 00@7 50.

Hogs—Prime mediums, $3 60@3 70; heavy hogs, $3 65@3 70; Yorkers, $3 50@3 55; pigs, $3 40@3 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Prime sheep, $4 50@4 60; good, $4 30@4 40; fair, $4 00@4 25; choice lambs, $5 50@5 65; common to good, $3 50@5 40.

BUFFALO.

Cattle—Butchers', $4 40@4 75; shipping, $4 00@5 00; tops, $5 25@5 35; cows and heifers, $3 50@4 50; stockers and feeders, $3 50@4 25. Calves—$6 50@7 50.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 55@3 60; mediums, $3 60@3 65; heavy, $3 65@3 70; pigs, $3 45.

Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice lambs, $5 30@5 45; fair to good, $5 00@5 15; culls and common, $4 00@4 50; mixed sheep, $4 35@4 50; choice yearlings, $4 50@4 75; culls and common, $2 25@3 00.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—Common to prime native beef steers, $4 00@5 70; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 50; calves, $3 00@7 00.

Hogs—$3 25@3 80; pigs, $2 50@3 40.

Sheep and Lambs—Poor to fair, $4 40@4 60; choice to prime westerns, $4 40; lambs, $3 75@5 00; fedeing lambs, $4 60@5 00; feeding sheep, $3 75@4 00.

Wheat—65c. Corn—31½c. Oats—23½c.

CLEVELAND.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 45; mediums, $3 60; heavies, $3 60@3 65; pigs, $3 00@3 30; stags and roughs, $2 50@3 15.

Sheep and Lambs—Good to best lambs, $4 90@5 10; fair to good, $4 40@4 70; fair to best sheep, $3 00@4 00.

Calves—Best $6 00; fair to good $5 25@5 75; feed and deacons, $4 00@5 00.

CINCINNATI.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 67c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 36c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 27c. Rye—No. 2, 57c.

Lard—$4 85. Bulk meats—$5 15. Bacon—$5 40.

Hogs—$3 00@3 70. Cattle—$2 35@4 85. Sheep—$2 25@4 00. Lambs—$3 75@6 25.

The Decay of the Dandy.

Brummel went to prison for debt, but came out again to resume his fopperies. His friends made him a small allowance of £120 per annum—equal at Caen to £300—but he could not be expected to live on such a pittance. When he had not 4 francs in the world, he would order boot polish at 5 francs a bottle from Paris and call the tradesman who supplied it "a scoundrel" for venturing to ask for his money. In the end his intellect gave way. He lost his memory and much of his little mind.

He grew slovenly and careless, yet to the last clung to his eau de cologne and some other luxuries. Finally, his mind all gone, he was removed to a charity hospital, being now reduced to the utmost impoverishment and content to change his linen once a month, instead of three times a day, as of old. Here he died, under the care of sisters of charity, on March 30, 1840. Thus ended the striking career of perhaps the most worthless fop whom history records, his death being a fitting termination to his useless life.—Lippincott's.

Melba's First Appearance.

Mme. Melba recently gave an interesting account of her first public appearance "I was quite a young girl in Australia," she said, "when, notwithstanding the persistent discouragement of my father, who was averse to the idea of a singer's career for me, I engaged a hall and sent round a notice to all my friends. Unfortunately somebody mentioned the little scheme to my father, and he, furious at my clandestine enterprise, begged every one of his acquaintances to uphold his parental authority by ignoring the performance. But I wasn't disheartened, and at the hour announced for the commencement of my concert stepped on to the platform—to find myself face to face with an audience of two. And nobody else came."

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Marvelous.

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When you ask for De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve don't accept a counterfeit or imitation. There are more cases of piles being cured by this than all others combined. Fisher Bros. and Wurster Bros.

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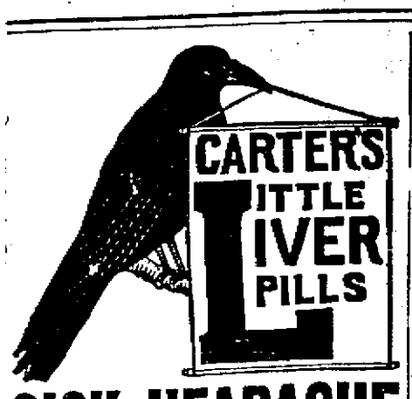

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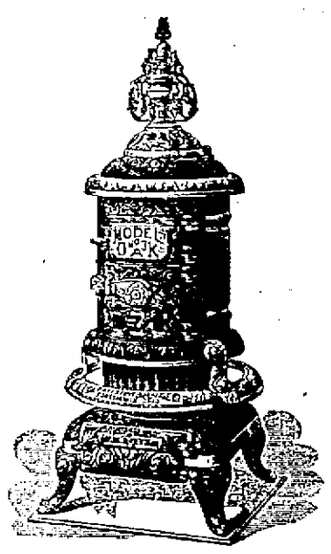

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DR. HEDLEY

Charmed a Large Audience at Bigelow Last Night.

An Eloquent Discourse on "The Sunny Side of Life".

Difference Between Wit and Humor Aptly Explained While the Minister Comes in for a Rattling Defense.

Dr. James Hedley lectured at Bigelow church last night on "The Sunny Side of Life," and the large audience assembled was delighted with his effort.

Dr. Hedley came to Portsmouth with a splendid reputation as a successful and entertaining lecturer, and by last night's lecture he added another circle to his list of admirers. He not only entertains, but there is something about his talk that has atendency to make his hearers feel better—to feel that it was good to have been there.

The lecturer is a fine looking man. He has a good presence and a rich, penetrating voice that easily filled the large auditorium of the church. Dr. Hedley was introduced by Rev. Hargett, of the Bigelow church, who said he had heard him first fifteen years ago and was so pleased with him that he resolved to hear him every opportunity since and had kept the resolve faithfully.

Dr. Heldey then spoke for almost two hours and if the audience did not decide that it was best to look on "The Sunny Side of Life," it was not the lecturer's fault. The lecture was full of good things, with a humorous vein running through it all that was deliciously funny. Dr. Hedley, in the course of his lecture, defined the difference between wit and humor. He said wit came from the head and was cold and biting. Wit made enemies and carried a sting with it wherever it went Wit was always used at somebody's expense and somebody did not like it quite so well after a witty epigram had raised a laugh. On the other hand, humor came from the heart and was gentle and tender and considerate of everybody's feelings. No sore hearts followed in the wake of humor and the world was always better and brighter for the genuine humorist having lived. He was always a cheerful person, whereas the wit was almost invariably a sour and morose and disappointed person.

Dr. Hedley also warmed up in defense of ministers whom he said were the hardest working and poorest paid class on earth. The minister had to slave to prepare at least two sermons a week and to look after a multitude of other work in addition. He usually got about a thousand dollars and a donation —the latter being an event at which everybody came and ate up all the minister had in the house. The minister had hard work to collect the pittance he got—on paper. There was once a minister whose congregation once, after much deliberation, decided to increase his salary, $50 a year. The committee called upon him and informed him of their decision. To their surprise the minister firmly and absolutely declined to accept the increase. Pressed for an explanation, he said:

"Gentlemen, it takes all my time to collect what salary you already allow me, and if you add another fifty dollars I do not know what I would do."

"And so it goes the world over," said Dr. Hedley. And then the poor overworked minister does not know what sentence may grate upon the sensibilities of the man who pays the largest pew rent, and then there will be a meeting of the board of trustees and the minister called upon to explain that unlucky sentence. Failing to explain satisfactorily, the biggest pew rent payer will sulk and an additional burden is laid on the minister's shoulders.

Dr. Hedley said that he believed in creed. There was a grand union depot in St. Louis and thirty-six railroads run in there. You could buy a ticket on any line for St. Louis and you would land at the same place. So it was with religion. The creeds all led in the same direction and would bring the faithful at last to the gates of Heaven. The Doctor said, however, he did not wish to be understood as comparing St. Louis to Heaven.

For himself he was a Methodist. He believed in that train because it was the only one which would back up and give a fellow another chance when he fell off. This was greeted with applause, which Dr. Hedley checked by remarking that a good many in the audience seemed to have fallen off, judging by their manifestations of approval.

Dr. Hedley also believed in a man being well dressed. Filth and vice were closely allied and many a man had started on the downward path on account of dirt—just plain, everyday dirty dirt. Clothes and custom and dress and deportment were closely allied. He also urged the audience to always look on the bright side of things. They would be happier and better for so doing, and life's pathway would be brighter and sunnier and fairer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Buckland Sell Their Confectionary to W. J. Pummel.

Walter J. Pummell, formerly with Drew, Selby & Co., has purchased the Buckland confectionary, on West Second street. He takes charge at once He has a nice, neat stock of goods, in a good location, and is a capital fellow and his friends wish him success.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckland will move to their residence on West Fourth and Mr. Buckland will open an electrical shop as soon as he can find a suitable location. He will put in machinery and do electro plating.

CLOSE TO DEATH

Was Teff Ball of Circleville in Columbus Sunday.

His Life Saved by the Prompt and Heroic Action of Al Spellman of This City—Knocked from a Train.

Al. Spellman, of the opera house staff, figured as the hero in an exciting scene in the union depot at Columbus Sunday night. He saved the life of Tiff Ball, of Circleville. While the people were waiting for the excursion train home Sunday night a B. & O. train backed in to the depot just as the N. & W. extra was getting into position to receive her passengers. Mr. Ball had boarded the rear end of the excursion train and was leaning forward, calling to some friends, when the B. & O. struck him in the back of the head, cutting a fearful gash and knocking him senseless under the wheels of the N. & W., which was on the point of backing up and crushing him to death. Mr. Spellman and one or two others saw the danger and dragged him from under the train, just in time to avert the horrible disaster. They restored him to consciousness and secured water and dressed the wound so that he was able to return to his home. But he will long have cause to remember this trip to Columbus and his narrow escape from death.

COMPANY H BOYS

Turned Out in Large Numbers at the Grand Opera House Last Night.

A large number of Company H boys availed themselves of the kind invitation of Manager Ralph Johnson, of the Grand opera house, and were present at the performance of "Darkest Russia" last night. The boys occupied the orchestra seats which had been reserved for them and enjoyed the show thoroughly. Mr. Johnson has made many friends, not only among the boys but among all citizens by his generosity.

There was a large audience at the performance, the largest of the season, and the people were well pleased with the performance. "Darkest Russia" was protrayed by a company of artists and they performed their parts as only artists can. They will be in Portsmouth for a return date and will be greeted by a crowded house.

H. D. Oberiing will save you money on hardware. Try him.

Prof. Frost's Recital.

On account of unavoidable difficulties, the recital to be given by Prof. Frost and his daughter, Amelia, for the benefit of First Baptist church and First Congregational church, will be postponed one week, from November 10th to November 17th.

PROF. FROST.

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You had la grippe. You began sneezing, your head filled up, and you felt as though it was stuffed; then your head, back and neck began to ache; you were seriously if not dangerously ill. You gradually improved but you were very weak. La grippe is a disease of the nerves. It upsets the nervous system as a cyclone does a forest; all the weak spots are made to suffer. This is the reason you were so weak, your nervous system had a terrible shock. You were uneasy, you could not rest, your appetite did not improve, etc., you know all these details, but perhaps you do not know that the best remedy for this condition is Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine. It aids, assists the nerve centers to adjust their differences, permits rest and sleep and helps nature restore health.

"In the spring of 1894 I was taken with a most terrible attack of la grippe. It left me in a fearful plight. My whole nervous system seemed shattered. I was restless and uneasy all the time, had no ambition, and felt about half sick. I was troubled with sleeplessness, and would toss and pitch for hours before I could get to sleep. At times it would seem almost impossible to remain in bed, I would be so nervous. Finally I began to take Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, and in a short time I was able to sleep the whole night through, awaking in the morning feeling refreshed and rested. The nervousness has entirely left me, and I feel a great deal better and stronger in every way."

MR. C F. BERO, Keeseville, N. Y.

"Five years ago I had an attack of la grippe and it left me in a fearful condition. My heart was affected so it could be heard thumping across the room. I had nervous prostration so I could not sleep and would walk the floor day and night. I commenced using Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine together with Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure and the benefit I received from them is incalculable. Although I am 79 years old I am enjoying excellent health."

MRS. M. W. WADDELL, Owens, Miss.

"I was taken with la grippe in 1890 and it left me in a condition of nervous prostration. I would be taken with weakess of the limbs and could hardly drag one foot after the other or raise an arm. At times a dizziness would overcome me, my head would whirl and there would be an inclination to fall over to the right. I was troubled with a dull ache over my right eye and suffered neuralgic pains in head and shoulders. My appetite seemed good but I received no nourishment from my food, which made me nervous, irritable and melancholy. I doctored off and on for five years without any apparent improvement in my health; and when one day Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine was recommended to me, I determined to give it a trial. Its effect on my health was as surprising as it was welcome. The headaches and nervousness disappeared the dizziness vanished, my digestion was improved and I was soon feeling like a different man."

REV. C. BODEY, St. Paris, Ohio.

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SOCIAL NEWS.

Ladies' Aid Society of Christ Church Entertained.

Father Stafford's Lecture Next Friday Evening—Meeting of the Kensington Club—Other Society News.

The Ladies' Aid society of Christ Episcopal church was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Longfellow. Owing to the fact that many members of this society were detained at home on account of the arrival of their loved ones in Co. H, the number present was not as large as usual, but the usual social pleasures were enjoyed by the congenial members of this society, who were fortunate enough to be present, and some very important business transacted—part of which was the decision to send the usual Thanksgiving donation to the hospital of the Protestant Episcopal church, in the Diocese of Southern Ohio. Any one in the city desiring to contribute to this donation can do so, whether a member of Christ church or some other church, or no church at all. All articles, such as fruit, coffee, tea, sugar, pickles, or anything suitable to be packed in a large wooden box, will be most gratefully received by the ladies of Christ church who desire to fill and send the box by next Monday. All who contribute, please leave articles at the residence of Miss Anna Ross, of Court street, next door to All Saints church.

Father Stafford will lecture before the Y. M. I. on the evening of the 18th of November and his topic will be "American Citizenship" instead of "Hamlet," as previously intended. Father Stafford is the pastor of one of the largest churches in Washington, D. C., and a personal friend of Father J. E. McGuirk. This lecture is one of a course the Y. M. I. expect to enjoy this season.

W. C. Clark, of Milwaukee, proprietor and manager of "Ben Hur," arrived yesterday from Fort Wayne, Ind., with a carload of scenery to be used in the great spectacular pantomime, "Ben Hur." None of the opera house scenery will be used, as the manager of "Ben Hur" prefers his own, and plenty of it. Mr. Clark said to a reporter this morning, "I have a full carload of scenery and not just an advertised one, as is sometimes the case with some managers."

The scenery in "Ben Hur" is from the brush of competent artists, and none but special settings, which are historically correct are used. The costumes are in keeping with the mangificent stage settings, and under the many colored calcium lights, make the spectacle truly dazzling.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Bigelow M. E. church will meet at the residence of Mrs. James A. Maxwell, No. 10 East Second street, Thursday, November 10th, at 2 o'clock. Business of importance. All members are expected to be present. Friends are cordially invited. A very interesting program is being arranged.

The presidents of the Y. L. F. M. S. and the Queen Esther Circle have met and decided to hold an open meeting in the Sunday school room Thursday evening, November 10th, at 7 o'clock, to discuss the union of the two societies. Each member is urged to be present at this meeting.

On account of the recent damage by fire to the home of Mrs. Thos. Tynes, the anticipated "birthday party" will not occur there November 21st, but there will be a meeting of the Aid society on that date at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Dillon, of East Fourth street, to which all friends of Christ church are most cordially invited.

Mr. Thomas Williams, of the Excelsior Co., will be married in Jackson this week to Miss Lizzie Phillips, of that city. Mr. Williams is an uncle of Messrs. John, Charles and Grant Williams.

En route home from Dayton, O., where he went to escort a little girl—an orphan, and his ward—to the Junior Order of United American Mechanics' Orphans' Home, Mr. T. A. Smith, of Lonaconing, Md., is expected this week to be the guest of his cousins, the Misses Eaves, of East Third street.

The first meeting of the Kensington club at the home of Mrs. Helfenstein was a very enjoyable assembling of a coterie of very congenial friends. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. L. Taylor, November 17th, at her home in the Damarin building.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of managers of the Home for Aged Women will occur tomorrow afternoon, in the parlors of the home.

The Monumental Aid society—the society organized in 1861 at All Saints church—is invited to be present tomorrow evening as a part of the reception committee at the reception for Co. H, at Dice's new building, Gallia street.

The committees arranging for the Elk Memorial services to be held Dec. 4th, in the Elk parlors are doing their best to have the services at that time all could be desired by those most deeply interested.

The B. Y. P. U. will entertain Thursday evening with a reception in the church parlors in honor of the return of Mr. Andy Foster, of Co. H. who is a member of the B. Y. P. U.

The Hamilton Whist club will be entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emma Jennings, of West Second street.

Thanksgiving services will be held next Sunday at Bigelow M. E. church in honor of the return of Co. H.

There will be a meeting of the Union Magazine club in the near future to arrange the year's subscriptions for the best Magazines.

PERSONAL.

Hon. M. Stanton is out on a business trip.

Mr. John Foster is at home for a few days' visit.

John Wamser was in Cincinnat yesterday on business.

Mr. Sampson, of California, was in the city yesterday to greet Co. H.

Mr. R. C. Maddock left today for a brief business trip to Cincinnati, and elsewhere.

Mr. Wm. Schilling was able to be out yesterday, the first time for over two months.

Capt. N. W. Evans is recovering from his recent accident, but is not yet able to be out.

Mr. H. Safford, of Chillicothe, is in the city today in the interest of Wilson Bros. of Chicago.

Miss Ella Wilson, of Hanging Rock, is the guest of her cousins, the Misses Beatty, of Waller street.

Mr. Philip Lintz, of Long Run, and Miss Mary Munn, of the same place were in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Emanuel Davidson, of South Point, is the guest of her sons Messrs. Vernon and A. H. Davidson.

Miss Anna McGuire, of Price Hill, Cincinnati, is the guest of the Misses McMahon, of East Ninth street.

Mrs. Fannie Ayers, of 16 East Fourth street, who has been visiting her sister in Ceredo, is at home again.

Rev. Father Goeble, of Wheelersburg, was in the city today the guest of Rev. Father Nonnen, of St. Mary's church.

Mr. Cyrus Eaves in much improved in health and is expected home from Lonaconing, Md., to spend Thanksgiving.

Capt. J. P. Merrill, of Wheelersburg returned home today after a brief visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Merrill, of Court street.

Mr. Lorin Goodman left today for his home in Des Moines, Iowa, after a few days' visit to Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Selby, of East Ninth street.

Mrs. I. Reitz after spending a three months pleasant visit among friends at New York, Jersey City and New Haven, Conn., returned home Saturday.

Misses Mary and Anna Lloyd nieces, of Miss Margaret Lloyd, returned yesterday from a two month's visit to their sister Mrs. George Legler, of Chicago, Ill.

Mr. J. A. Mulligan, general manager, of the Y. M. I. Insurance Co., of Cincinnati, is in the city the guest of Dr. L. A. Vernier and is also looking after the interests of his company.

Miss Margaret Donohoe expects soon to join her sister, Miss Hattie, a trained nurse of New York City, where Miss Margaret will enter college for an extended course of study.

Brakeman's Heroic Deed.

The horses attached to Joe Jeames' coach became frightened at the C. P. & V. depot yesterday morning and started to run into the crowd. It looked as though many people would be killed, when C. P. & V. Brakeman Stratton dived at the horses' heads and succeeded in stopping them. Stratton showed great bravery.

Will Banquet Lieut. Smith.

The members of the A. O. U. W. are arranging to give a banquet in honor of Lieut. James Smith within the next few days. Dr. H. H. Blankemeyer, Arthur Maule, Samuel Horchow and Charles Corson have been appointed a committee to arrange for the banquet.

Rhodes' New Position.

T. D. Rhodes, general passenger agent of the C. P. & V., has been appointed general superintendent of the Northern Alabama railroad. He will still retain his posiiton with the C. P. & V.

C. P. & V. Conductor Sick.

Conductor Hopkins, of the C. P. & V., is off duty on account of sickness. Baggage Master Moore is running in Hopkins' place and J. B. Hopkins, agent at Winchester, is acting in Moore's place.

Foot balls and sporting goods at H. D. Oberlings.

West Side Man Fined.

John Kent, charged with drunkenness, was arrested yesterday by Policeman Atkins. He was fined $1 and costs this morning.

D. F. Creekbaum, piano tuner, 31 West Third Street. tf.

POEM

Written in Honor of the Return of Company H

By Mrs. Ada Barnard Harsha—Charming Verse Which Is a Credit to the Writer.

The following pretty poem, in honor of the return of Company H, was written by Mrs. Ada Barnard Harsha. It is a charming bit of poetry and a credit to the lady who composed it:

Hail to our heroes! our brave boys in blue!
Your pathway with laurel, your people will strew,
As you gaily come marching home.

Greatly we honor you, dauntless young hearts,
Who braved the dark Spaniards' treacherous arts,
And fearlessly marched from home.

Drawn were your arms on Spain's merciless sons,
But white winged Peace sealed your eager guns—
You were spared to come marching home.

But forget we not in our joy so deep,
The Heroes who lie in the last long sleep,
Who will never come marching home.

As your sad tears flow, with the poet say—
O 'they are not dead—they are just away,"
They have marched to the Heavenly home!

For those who lie in the hospital ward,
Soft' breathe a prayer that Jehovah will guard
And they soon may come marching home.

God keep Our Country from rumor of War
Till Progress shall sit on thrones near and far,
And all Earth shall be Liberty's home.

"Ben Hur Reserved Seats.

Secure your tickets today for the "Ben Hur" entertainment and have them exchange for reserved seat tickets, without extra charge any time after today. Chart opens at White's jewelry store Wednesday morning.

A Two Weeks' Trip.

Sam P. Baird and Andrew Youngman left this morning for the Carter county caves, the property of Samuel B. Timmonds. They will make a survey of the property and explore many of the caves before returning. They will be gone two weeks.

H. D. Oberling is headquarters for the Universal food chopper. 4-4t

A Rough Trip.

"Deacon" Hughes, one of Roy McElhaney's barbers, has just returned from a trip through Kentucky. He covered about one hundred miles on horseback and today takes great pleasure in standing up most of the time.

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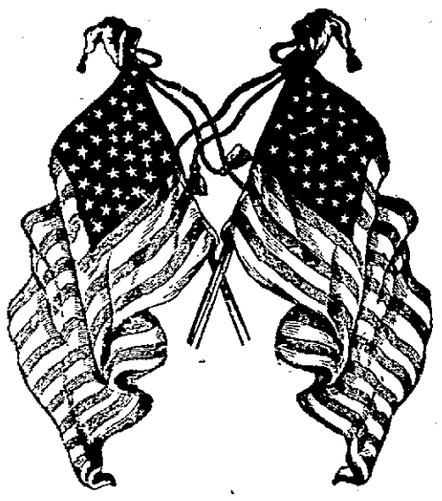

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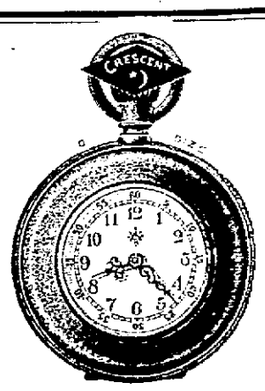

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THE PLAYS

Some of the Shows Which Will Be at the Grand.

November and December Will See Some Good Attractions--Portsmouth Letter to the Dramatic Mirror.

The following show notes were taken from the Portsmouth letter in the last issue of the New York Dramatic Mirror:

Jessie Mae Hall, who is starring this season, will be with us on November 17th. She is a petite little beauty (on the stage) and reminds one of Effie Ellsler. While the average theater-goer does not go to see beauty, yet the fact that an artist is beautiful has much to do with the success of a play. Jessie combines beauty and talent and these are drawing cards.

The Valentine Stock Co. will be at the Grand on November 23d and will produce a standard play, to be announced later.

On Thursday, November 24th, afternoon and night, will be presented for the first time in this city "The Guilty Mother," and being a National holiday the Grand will have its seating capacity tested.

November 26th, "The Hired Girl."

Sousa's famous band on November 28th, and it is to be hoped the management will impress upon the great leader that a popular concert will attract a crowd here, while a program of Wagner will not draw a corporal's guard.

On December 17th, matinee and night, Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe's famous "Uncle Tom's Cabin" (dramatized) will be presented and the Grand will of course, as usual, be crowded, as that famous play appears to grow in popularity as the years pass. There are always some people who never saw this play, and again there are other people who go to no other play. But let an Uncle Tom Co. come along, with a lot of bloodhounds, donkeys, two Marks, etc., and they will go in spite of everything. The last company that was here of this popular play introduced so many innovations that we would not be surprised if the coming company would not have Eva come in on her bicycle and Marks smoking a cigarette. There is nothing, you know, like being up-to-date and doing something to please the little "yellow kids."

Friday evening, December 30th, Al. G. Field's minstrels will make their first appearance at the Grand this season. Al. always has a good many people who know what to expect and are never disappointed. He, himself, is the premier of end men, and the latest and most up-to-date seems to be his watchword. A crowded house is sure to greet this king of mimic.

"What Happened to Jones?" is the rather queer title of a play that is booked for January 14th, to be followed by King's Dramatic Co., on the 6th.

"Herman, the Great," who appeared here last season, is booked for a date on December 19th, and for those who enjoy seeing the mysterious and the magician, this will be the only opportunity of the year.

On Thursday, December 29th, another of Hoyt's famous plays will be produced here, namely, "A Texas Steer," a play that some people consider the peer of any of Hoyt's productions. Hoyt's plays seem to grow in popularity and are appreciated the more they are seen. He is always springing some surprise on the audience, as he did in the "Stranger in New York," in the case of Miss Lola Small, who had nothing to commend her except that of her father's name. A Parkersburg dispatch says Miss Small was given two weeks' notice.

"Piney Ridge coming December 2d.

"Shore Acres," probably the best play ever written of its kind, is booked for January 5th.

We are advised by a letter from the management that Wilhelm's opera house will re-open about November 10th with a Vaudeville Co., including roller-skating as a side issue. The old hall is well adapted for this purpose, and the parties who are back of the enterprise have money and say it will be a go, and that they will have some splendid attractions at popular prices.

Sam Timmonds' naval battle exhibition was a complete failure. The season is too late for outdoor exhibitions.

Wash Hoskins, of Ringling Bros.' circus, is at home for the winter.

Ex-Manager Grimes is home from Omaha, where he had been attending the exposition in company with the officials of the Ohio State Board of Agriculture.

Mart Wiggens has assumed charge of the Grand opera house stage.

Wanted—New Year and Christmas holiday attractions. These are days on which people will go to a first-class play, and it is to be hoped Manager Johnson will succeed in securing some No. 1 attractions for these dates.

A New Hatch House.

A watch house for the watchman at the Offnere street crossing is being constructed today.

"BEN HUR".

Press Notices of This Grand Spectacular Production.

Gen. Lew Wallace, author of "Ben Hur," was one of the spectators last night at the "Ben Hur" performance at English's. He expressed himself as highly pleased at the pantomimic representation. The audience last night was a very large and fashionable one. The light artillery members attended in uniform and conspicuously displayed a horse shoe, emblematic of their good wishes for the entertainment. The Governor's Guard and Col. McKee and staff were present in full military dress.—Indianapolis Journal.

The grand spectacular productions of "Ben Hur" are over, but will be talked about for weeks to come by participants and spectators. Altogether it was sweet and pure, chaste and grand and worthy of the liberal patronage it received.—Youngstown (O.) Vindicator.

Crowded houses were in order, and the spectators were fairly enraptured at the beauty of the many scenes, tableaux, dances and other features. —New Castle (Pa.) Courier.

N. B.—One complimentary ticket will be given for every ten "Ben Hur" tickets sold. It is requested by the management that the "Ben Hur" ticket be secured from some one selling them before the opera house ticket is secured at White's.

Buy your tickets for "Ben Hur" today and have your seats reserved, free of charge, at White's jewelry store any time after today. Chart will be open tomorrow morning

This Happens Every Week.

Allen Jones, of Springville, Ky., is requested to call at Connolley's store and get a barrel of "Sweet Home" flour as a premium for being a purchaser of shoes at Connolley's shoe store last week.

A Sad Mission.

Prof. W. D. Clark, of the Normal University, returned today from a sad mission. He received a telegram last week from Leesville, O., that his father was in a serious condition and to come at once. His worst fears were realized, as on last Saturday his father breathed his last. The funeral services were held yesterday. The Professor's friends are grieved to hear of his loss and deeply sympathize with him.

Where Money Is Very Mixed.

Although all accounts are kept in dollars and cents (American standard) in British Guiana, there is no existing coinage to correspond. Gold is rarely tendered, all larger sums being handled in bank notes, kept so long in circulation that they become almost unrecognizable in their filthy fragmentary dilapidation.

The silver coinage consists of the most incongruous varieties. Besides British a number of coins, fractions and multiples of the "gilder," enter largely into circulation. These are known as the "bitt" (4d.), "half bitt," the "two bitts," the "gilder" (being 32 cents, or 1s. 4d.), and even a peculiar three halfpenny piece is still extant, although eagerly sought for by collectors.

All these coins are of great and interesting variety, incident on the transfer of the colony from the Dutch and the once distinct governments of Berbice and Demerara and Essequibo, long since amalgamated.

Of copper coins the penny is known as a "gill," while the humble bauboe becomes a "cent." Farthings were once introduced, but were regarded with contempt and suspicion, except by a few Chinamen, who succeeded in passing them in their brightness for half sovereigns.

To instance the confusion resulting, 11½d. is here described as "two bitts and a half and a gill and a cent."—London Tit-Bits.

Parents Are Unfair to Teachers.

"That existing methods of educating the young fall short of the ideal there is scarcely any question," writes Edward Bok in The Ladies' Home Journal. "The most prominent educators of the land admit this fact. Every effort is undoubtedly made to better prevailing systems. But the fight is single handed. As teachers and educators constantly say: 'We are alone. Parents give us no assistance. They do not even give us the benefit of ordinary interest.' And this is true—lamentably true. Parents are all too lax about the methods pursued in educating their children. In hundreds of cases they do not even know what the methods are. They know nothing about them. There is no co-operation of the parent with the teacher. However much we may be able to improve modern methods of education, the best results to our children cannot be reached until parent and teacher shall come into closer relations than they are at present."

Borrowers of Tobacco.

There are some smokers who do not buy tobacco or cigars more than once a year. There is probably no other article which is so often borrowed and not repaid as tobacco. A wit in this city once said in a newspaper paragraph, "The American people last year used 50,000,000 pounds of chewing tobacco, half of which they borrowed." There is almost as much truth as fun in that assertion. —Chicago Chronicle.

First Caricature.

Probably the first caricature in manuscript is to be found in the Egyptian papyrus in the British museum, where the lion and unicorn are represented playing a game of drafts.

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Extra Good Quality.

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Ladies' " " " " "	10, 15 and 25c
Ladies' and Childs' Wool Hose at all prices.	
Red All-Wool Flannel, from 12½c to	35c
Grey " " " 15c to	25c
White Flannel, at 12½, 15, 20 to	35c
" Embroidered Flannel, 36 in. wide, at	50c
Ladies' Long Sleeve Vests, at 11, 19, 25 to	50c
Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Pants, at	19 25, 35 and 50c
Childs' Heavy Vests, at	5, 10, 15 and 25c
Childs' Union Suits, in white and grey	25c
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Ladies' Union Suits, extra fleeced, grey or ecru	49c	Ladies' Wool Hose	15c pair
Children's Fleece Ribbed Vests, Pants and Drawers, sizes 16 to 34	5c upwards	Men's all-wool blue mix knit or camel's hair	15c pair
Boys' Heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers	25c	Children's heavy fleece lined, fast black and seamless	10c pair
Union Suits for children, extra fleeced	25c	Ladies' heavy fleece lined, fast black and seamless	10c pair
Men's Grey or Brown Mottled Heavy Shirts and Drawers	20 and 25c each	Men's heavy fleece lined, fast black and seamless	15c, 2 for 25c
Men's Fleece Ribbed, in grey or ecru, shirts and drawers	39c-75c suit	Men's extra heavy Socks, tans or blacks	15c, 2 for 25c
Men's Extra Heavy Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers	39c-75c suit	Boys' and Misses' Bicycle Hose, sizes 6 to 10, extra heavy ribbed, wear like leather	15c, 2 for 25c
Men's extra heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers, positively best value in city	50c each		

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We will place on sale today a large line of Caps for the Babies including Winter Silk Caps, in Red, Blue, Dark Green and White, which will go at 25c each. Also a fine line of Heavy Wool Knit Caps, all colors, for 25c each. We also have an elegant assortment of

Hand Crochet Silk Caps,
With Heavy Zephyr Lining, for

50c, 75c, 89c and $1.00.

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RUN WITH BLOOD

Will the Streets of Paris If Dreyfus Be Freed.

A DIABOLICAL MILITARY PLOT.

Riotous Outbursts to Be Formented, the Civil Power Overthrown and the Leading Champions of the Prisoner of Devil's Island Assassinated — Police Warn Latter's Friends to Go Armed.

London, Nov. 8.—"We have received information from a reliable quarter," says the London Chronicle, editorially, "of an organized plot in Paris, in the event of the inquiry before the court of cassation proving favorable to Dreyfus, to forment a riotius outburst in the French capital, to attempt to overthrow the civil power and to assassinate the leading champions of Dreyfus.

"These reports are confirmed by interviews had with M. Trarieux, former minister of justice, and M. De Pressonso, foreign editor of the Temps, as well as others. The police have warned those friends of Dreyfus to change their residence temporarily, or at least to carry revolvers."

IN A POSTOFFICE

Burglars Are Trapped, One Being Winged and Two Captured.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 8.—A gang of burglars broke into the postoffice at North Grafton. A posse of citizens surrounded the place, killed one of the men and bagged two.

George Allen, who lives near by, discovered the burglars, and leaving his house through a rear window alarmed Constables Amos G. Getchell and William Getchell and several other men. They surrounded the postoffice and found three men on the outside of the building. Both the burglars and citizens opened fire with revolvers, and after some brisk shooting the robbers fled. Subsequently the dead body of one of them, apparently a Frenchman, was found in a field nearby. Entering the building two other burglars were found and captured. They were armed.

Unknown Steamer Lost.

New York, Nov. 8.—James E. Ward & Company, steamship agents, received a cablegram from Mr. Soyer, agent of the firm at Nassau, N. P., that a two funneled steamer, the name of which had not been learned, is ashore on Cat island, about 30 miles from the point where the former Spanish warship Maria Teresa was supposed to have foundered during a storm. The stranded steamer may be the warship or one of the army transports.

Gold From the Land of Fire.

Cleveland, Nov. 8.—Mr. Franklin Ranson, who went to Terra del Fuego a year and a half ago in quest of gold, has returned with nearly $18,000 in the yellow metal. Ranson will return to South America in the spring. Ranson says all gold is obtained from placer mines, or is washed out of a magnetic black sand that is thrown up on the seashore. This sand some times runs $1.80 to the pan.

These Cubans Must Beg.

New York, Nov. 8.—The 16 Cubans who were recently released by the Spanish government from the prison at Ceuta, and who arrived in this country last week on the Kaiser Wilhelm II, were released from the barge office and allowed to go, penniless and homeless, into the streets. They applied at the Cuban junta, but were turned away.

He Was a Noted Divine.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—Rev. Dr. H. L. Wayland, one of the most eminent Baptist divines, died at Wernersville, Pa., after an illness of several months' duration. Dr. Wayland was one of the best known clergymen in the Baptist denomination. He was born in Providence, R. I., April 23, 1830.

To Investigate Deputy Marshals.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Indian Inspector Cyrus Bede, an Iowa appointee, has been detailed to represent the interior department in the joint investigation of allegations made against deputy marshals in connection with the causes of the recent Chippewa Indian outbreak.

Secretary Bliss Indisposed.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Secretary Bliss was unable to go to New York to vote owing to a cold, which had its origin in the recent presidential trip in the west and from which he has since been suffering. While his cold is not serious, it is sufficient to keep him indoors.

Distressing Catastrophe.

Traverse City, Mich., Nov. 8.—Word was received here of the death of Judge Roscoe L. Corbett of the Thirteenth judicial district. His death was caused by an accidental discharge of a gun held by his son. Father and son were on a deer hunt at Trout Lake.

Killed on the Rail.

Muncie, Ind., Nov. 8.—Thomas Port, president of the Port Glass Manufacturing company, was killed by a train here. Mr. Port was slightly deaf and he did not hear his companion shouting for him to step off the track. The body was terribly mangled.

Upheld the War Tax.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—Judge Grosscup of the United States circuit court rendered a decision upholding the constitutionality of the war revenue act, deciding that transactions on the stock yards exchange were subject to tax.

Edison to Visit Russia.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 8.—The newspapers here announce the coming visit to St. Petersburg of Thomas A. Edison, the American inventor. The scientific societies are preparing to give him a brilliant reception.

She Lost the Warship.

Newport News, Va., Nov. 8.—The United States collier Leonidas arrived in Hampton Roads. She started from Santiago with the Maria Teresa, but lost track of the cruiser and tue repair ship Vulcan and the tug Merritt the afternoon the warship went down. The Leonidas' propeller blade was damaged during the storm off the Bahamas. This caused her delay in reaching Hampton Roads. The Leonidas went to the Norfolk navy yard.

TOO LAZY TO TOIL.

Native Cubans Want No Mining Business In Theirs.

Santiago, Nov. 8.—The lethargy of centuries and the relations of capital and labor are two perplexing problems to be faced by the authorities of Santiago, and in fact the whole of Cuba.

With regard to the first, there are a very large number of people only desiring an opportunity to invest in the island as soon as a settled form of government is decided upon, but who naturally, under present conditions, knowing nothing regarding the future safeguards to property or the amount of taxes to be levied, or the stability of the future government when it is formed, hesitate to risk their money. In this province alone, it is estimated that there are fully $20,000,000 only waiting for an assured form of government to be at once invested in business enterprises.

Another great tangle to be unraveled is the labor question, for even the existing industries are crippled for want of hands, this particularly applying to the mines. The pay is from 75 cents a day upward, or about the same as paid in the phosphate mines of Florida, and the mines will board the laborers at 25 cents a day. It may be taken as an established fact that the present generation of Cubans will never become miners. They are far too enervated and indolent and the negro race here find the means of a lazy subsistence too easily at hand to have any incentive to labor.

Ordered to Porto Rico.

Washington, Nov. 8. — Colonel Eugene Griffin, First United States volunteer engineers, has been ordered to Porto Rico to join his regiment.

Dead Man at the Throttle.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 8.—While the fast refrigerator train on the Chicago and Alton road was speeding toward Glendale, Engineer Richard A. House sat dead in his cab, his hand grasping the throttle, his glazed eyes fixed straight ahead on the track and a peaceful smile on his face. Fireman John Varndell, who had been busy for some minutes in the tender, walked into the cab, continuing his firing and it was not until he spoke to House that he discovered that his mate was dead. The cause of death is not known.

Mrs. Leslie Carter Fails.

New York, Nov. 8.—Mrs. Leslie Carter, the actress, under the name of Caroline D. Carter, filed a petition in bankruptcy, showing liabilities of $63,773 and no assets except wearing apparel valued at $200.

Lapped Up by Fire.

New York, Nov. 8.—The summer residence of Clarence Mackay, at Westbury, Long Island, was totally destroyed by fire. Loss $50,000. Mr. and Mrs. Mackay were in the house but escaped.

Bobbies and Laddies on Parade.

Washington, Nov. 8.—As has been the custom for many years, the president reviewed the annual parade of the police and fire departments of the District of Columbia.

Work of Incendiaries.

Emporia, Kas., Nov. 8.—Fire, supposed to have been kindled by incendiaries, gave Emporia a bad scare. Within 15 minutes five alarms were rung in. The wind was blowing a gale and it was feared that the city would be destroyed. There were three separate fires, the most serious of which destroyed the canning factory and warehouse of L. W. Lewis, part of Evans & Thomas lumber yard, seven box cars loaded with freight, including a carload of eggs, and several small dwellings.

Not the Main Wall.

Washington, Nov. 8.—A report was current that the west central wall of the Capitol was cracked as a result of the explosion. Architect Wood made a careful examination and located the crack which had aroused suspicions. It proved, however, to be in the outer, or veneer wall, and not in the six-foot foundation wall on the west side. This main wall has stood over 100 years, and is still in fairly good condition.

Missourians Dismissed.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 8.—The Third regiment of Missouri volunteers, over 1,200 men, were mustered out here after receiving nearly $100,000 from the government paymaster. The general health of the regiment is good.

MURDER?

A Dead Body With Tell-Tale Wounds Found In a Fire.

Cleveland, Nov. 8.—A case of supposed murder is being diligently investigated by the police department.

Fire was discovered in the ruins of a box factory on Main street. When the police and firemen arrived they broke open the door and found a small fire burning on one of the floors. When the flames had been extinguished the body of a man was found lying among the smoldering pieces of wood. After the body had been removed to the morgue it was discovered that the man had died from the effects of two bullet wounds in the breast.

A diligent search of the ruins failed to reveal a pistol or other weapon, and the only clue the police could find was in the statement of some workmen near the building that they had heard five or six pistol shots before the fire. There was nothing about the clothing of the man, who was about 35 years of age and well dressed, to reveal his identity. The theory of the police is that he was murdered and that the fire was started to destroy the body and conceal the evidence of the crime.

In Darkness.

Bucyrus, O., Nov. 8.—An accident placed Bucyrus in darkness and without telephone communication. A high wind played havoc with telephone lines and a guywire of the Bucyrus company became loosened, and swinging in the wind every minute or two, came in contact with an electric light wire, the current passing into the whole system of telephone wires.

Changed Its Name.

Toledo, Nov. 8.—A. E. Stillwell, president of the Kansas City and Gulf railroad, is slated as the new president of the Detroit and Lima Northern. The Stillwell people will place $2,000,000 in the road, the Haskell interests remaining as they are. The name of the road is to be changed; it will be known as the Central Terminal and Connecting railroad.

Fire at Dayton.

Dayton, O., Nov. 8.—Fire wiped out two business blocks here. One was owned and occupied by Nicholas Laskaris, proprietor of a wholesale and retail fruit store, the other by August Waldvogel, a saloonkeeper. The former's loss will be fully $12,000, insurance $7,000; the latter's will be $4,000, insurance $2,000.

Work of Lightning.

Grant, O., Nov. 8.—Lightning struck the house of James Perry and completely demolished it, but no one was injured. At the same time a team of horses was struck, splitting one of the horse's collars and making a deep wound in the other animal's leg.

Strengthening the Forts.

Halifax, Nov. 8.—As a result of the inspection by Lord Seymour and Colonel Biscoe, many improvements in the fortifications here will be made. The work on the new fort at McNab's island will be hurried. The citadel, which has been considered superfluous by Lord Seymour's predecessors, will be altered and placed on a good footing. Barracks accommodation will be increased and the most thoroughly overhauled.

Floods In Cuba.

Havana, Nov. 8.—Owing to the constant rains which have fallen recently the streams in the province of Matanzas have overflowed, flooding 1,000 acres in the Roque district of that province. The land inundated had just been planted with sugar cane and fruit trees after three years of neglect, and the disaster has again plunged the inhabitants of this district into the deepest misery. The Yumri valley has also been flooded.

Siam's New Minister.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The secretary of state has been informed that the Siamese government is about to reestablish its legation in the United States, after a lapse of many years. The newly accredited Siamese minister plenipotentiary to the United States arrived in New York Saturday. His name is Phya Visddha Suriyasakti.

After the Dervishes.

Cairo, Nov. 8.—Khalifa Abdullah, the defeated Dervish leader, is hard pressed on the frontier of Kordofan, southwest of Khartoum, by natives friendly to the Anglo-Egyptian expedition, and it is believed that his capture is imminent. Ali Shereef, his son-in-law, is already a prisoner and is being brought to Khartoum.

Will Dissolve.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—The western trunk line committee is about to follow the example of the Joint Traffic association and go out of business. A special meeting of the executive officers of the roads in the committee has been called for next Thursday and it is generally admitted that they will decide to dissolve the association.

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East bound.	West bound.
*11:50 a. m.	* 4:50 a. m.
* 2:49 p. m.	* 7:10 a. m.
† 7:15 p. m.	* 2:05 p. m.
*12:00 p. m.	† 2:49 p. m.

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Lve. Portsmouth.	Ar. Cincinnati.
*6:00 a. m.	9:55 a. m.
2:00 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
Lve. Cincinnati.	**Ar. Portsmouth.**
8:00 a. m.	11:59 a. m.
*4:50 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

*Daily except Sunday.

N. & W. R. R.

North bound	East bound
* 5:15 a. m.	†10:55 a. m.
† 4:42 p. m.	† 3:42 p. m.
†10:28 a. m.	*11:10 p. m.

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†10:50 a. m.	†10:40 a. m.
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Fierce Contests In Several of the States Bring Out a Heavy Vote, While In Others Old General Apathy Held Sway. Ridiculous Claims Made by the Managers of the Two Great Parties as the Bloodless Battle Progressed.

Columbus, O., Nov. 8.—The contest of the ballots has been proceeding quietly over the state. The main fight is on the congressional candidates, and leaders of the two parties are claiming gains.

The Democrats claim a close vote on part of the state ticket because of factional feeling among certain Republicans who opposed Senator Hanna last January. In the contest for state food commissioner the forgery of certain letters is charged by the incumbent, Commissioner Blackburn, against his assailants. As state elections in Ohio are held annually the returns will be compared with last year and not with the vote for congressmen two years ago, when McKinley had 51,000 plurality. The Republican plurality last year was 28,000, and the Democrats claim gains on it as well as on congressmen. The voting is lively throughout the state.

Fierce In Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—Each of the three leading candidates, Stone (R.), Jenks (D.) and Swallow (Pro. and honest government), will have a sufficient number of votes for election, according to the claims of the respective party leaders. Aside from these claims the county reports indicate a plurality for Stone, the Republican candidate, but with the expected total of 1,000,000 ballots and possible cutting, this prediction may be found incorrect. Jenks, the Democratic candidate, has the benefit of a harmonized party, the different factional leaders having been brought together in his support during the past month or six weeks.

Whites Determined.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 8.—The spirit of the whites is so determined and their preparations for an emergency so thorough that there now seems small probability of any general disturbances here. The focus of interest now is the fight for the state senatorship; but without any other agency it is now conservatively estimated that a sufficient number of negroes are remaining away from the polls to insure election of the Democratic candidate. Moreover, the Democrats have intimated that they must have this senator, and this hint is full of meaning.

They Did Not Vote.

Washington, Nov. 8.—There was very little political excitement apparent in the state, war and navy departments. With the exception of Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn of the war department, none of the official heads of the state, war and navy departments went home to vote. Secretaries Hay, Long and Alger, with Assistant Secretaries Hill and Adee of the state department and Allen of the navy department, were at their desks as usual.

Both Sides Confident.

Indianapolis, Nov. 8.—Both parties seem confident of victory. Democratic forecast: "We are sure of success. We will elect eight of the 13 congressmen and perhaps three more. The legislature will be Democratic by a majority of four—may be 12—on joint ballot." Republican forecast: "We will carry the state by from 15,000 to 20,000. We will elect 59 representatives and 14 senators and thus have a good working majority."

All Republican.

Boston, Nov. 8.—Governor Wolcott and the entire Republican state ticket will be elected by a plurality conservatively estimated at from 50,000 to 60,000, and the legislature will be Republican. The Fifth, Seventh, Ninth and Tenth congressional districts will be close. The other districts are safely Republican.

New Hampshire Not In Doubt.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 8.—The election of the Republican state ticket is generally conceded. The Democrats are concentrating their efforts on the first congressional district, where they say Edgar J. Knowlton is sure to defeat Congressman Sulloway, Republican.

Republicans Will Win.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 8.—The best opinion is that the Republican state ticket will be elected by a reduced majority. The Republican leaders claim all four congressmen, and the Democrats declare they will elect two congressmen. The voting is fair.

Democrats on Top.

Charleston, W. Va., Nov. 8.—The indications are that the Democrats will elect three out of four candidates for congress and have the legislature on joint ballot by a very narrow margin.

Both Claim It.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 8.—Nebraska is casting a heavier vote than a year ago and little if any behind that of 1896. Republican managers claim that every candidate on their state ticket will be elected by at least 5,000 majority; that two Republican candidates for congress will be elected sure and probably two others, and that the legislature will be Republican on joint ballot. Chairman Gaffin of the fusion committee said he saw no reason why he should change his previous estimate of a fusion majority of 16,000.

In Illinois.

Chicago, Nov. 8.—The chairman of the Democratic state central committee is positive in his statement that that party will carry the state by a good plurality and gain several congressmen. The chairman of the Republican state central committee is equally sure that the Republicans will be victorious. Which is correct will be known when the ballots are counted. The interest is lively and very nearly the full registered vote being cast.

Some One Is Mistaken.

Topeka, Kas., Nov. 8.—The chairmen of both the Republican and Populist state committees express themselves as being confident of the success of their respective tickets. Chairman Albaugh of the Republican organization claims the state by a majority of 20,000, while Riddle of the Populist committee is certain things will come his way by pluralities from 10,000 to 12,000.

Outlook In Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Nov. 8. — The weather in Wyoming turned cold with heavy cloudy and northeast winds. The last half of the campaign which closed has been full of interest and the battle of the ballots has been vigorous by both great parties. A Republican victory for the entire state and congressional ticket is probable with moderate but safe majorities.

Conceded by Republicans.

St. Louis, Nov. 8.—A feeling seems to pervade the state that the Democrats are having almost everything their own way. The Democrats are firmly asserting this claim, while the Republicans are not making any assertions and partially agree that the Democrats will carry the state.

In New Jersey.

New York, Nov. 8.—The situation is extremely mixed and both sides claim a sweeping victory in New Jersey. Foster M. Voorhees, the Republican candidate, claims he will be elected by 5,000. The Democrats claim the state for Elvin W. Crane, for governor, by from 7,000 to 12,000.

Hot Contest In New York.

New York, Nov. 8.—The battle of the ballots waged fiercely all day, a heavy vote being polled early. Both parties are claiming the state by pluralities ranging from 10,000 to 60,000. A number of arrests were made in this city for illegal registration.

FOR RAPE

A Negro Is Quietly Lynched by a Determined Illinois Mob.

Toluca, Ills., Nov. 8.—A hundred miners broke into jail here, dragged out F. W. Stewart, a negro, placed a rope around his neck and strung him to a convenient tree.

The work was done quickly and quietly. Only a few late stragglers noticed the number of strangers who kept driving into town from the east. They were well organized, however, and shortly after midnight marched in a body to the jail, broke in the doors after a short parley with the sheriff, dragged the negro from his cell, carried him to a tree a mile from town where the remainder of the party awaited them, and there swung him to a limb.

Stewart's crime was assault on Friday evening upon Mary O'Brien, the daughter of one of the miners.

Schley Coming Home.

Washington, Nov. 8. — Admiral Schley has cabled the navy department that Captain Snow had arrived at San Juan on the Solace, and that he had relieved the admiral of the command of the naval station there. The admiral announced that he would start ...increased and thoroughly overhauled.

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A General Movement of Soldiers From Camp Meade Is on, the Destination of the Boys Being the Land of Sunshine, Where They Will Go Into Camp, Preparatory to Being Transported to Cuba and Porto Rico.

Camp Meade, Nov. 8—General Young has issued orders for the movement of the Second corps, now stationed here, to the new camps in Dixie, the land of sunshine.

The movement will begin Thursday with the departure of the Thirty-fifth Michigan and the Second Tennessee and will be completed the following Wednesday. A hospital car will be attached to each regimental train and a medical officer will accompany each section. The headquarters of the various brigades and divisions will be shipped in advance of the corps headquarters.

Michigan's brave lads go to Augusta, Ga., and the Tennesseeans to Columbia, S. C. Friday the first Maryland will go to Augusta, the Two Hundred and Third New York to Greenville, S. C., and the Fifteenth Pennsylvania to Athens, Ga. The Tenth Ohio goes to Augusta and the Fourth New Jersey to Greenville on Saturday. Sunday the Eighth Pennsylvania leaves for Augusta, the Second West Virginia for Greenville and the First Rhode Island to Columbia.

Monday the Thirteenth Pennsylvania leaves for Augusta, the Fourth Missouri for Greenville, Fourteenth Pennsylvania and Ninth Ohio battalion for Summerville. Tuesday the Seventeenth Minnesota starts for Augusta, Third Connecticut for Summerville and Two Hundred and First New York for Greenville. Wednesday the Fifth Massachusetts leaves for Greenville and the Two Hundred and Second New York for Athens. Corps headquarters, the signal corps company, corps reserve ambulance company and the First and Second division hospitals will also start Wednesday.

Her Coal on Fire.

Nagasaki, Japan, Nov. 8—The United States auxiliary collier Nero, whose coal recently caught fire in Chinese waters and which had been decided to be of no use on the Asiatic station and had been ordered to San Francisco, has arrived at this port. Five hundred tons of coal on the Nero had been jettisoned. She is being repaired here and will proceed in a few days.

Eighth Cavalry to Cuba.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The war department has decided to send the Eighth cavalry regiment to the province of Puerto Principe in advance of the Fifteenth infantry or the Third Georgia. Six troops each of the Eighth are to be sent to Neuvitas and Puerto Principe, the capital of the province. The transport Manitoba will take the Eighth to Cuba.

Has Not Consulted the Powers.

Madrid, Nov. 8.—The premier, Senor Sagasta, was questioned as to whether it was a fact that the Spanish government had addressed a note to the powers asking the latter if they would support Spain in protesting against "the intentions of the United States toward the Philippine islands." He replied that such a note had not yet been dispatched.

Again at Work.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Peace negotiations were resumed at Paris in accordance with the adjournment of the commission last Friday. It is said at the state department that no report was received from Judge Day, and that none is expected until Wednesday.

World's Peace In Danger.

London, Nov. 8.—The Daily Mail urges the American people to pronounce boldly in favor of retaining the Philippines, "for otherwise there will be a scramble for coaling stations that will endanger the peace of the world."

The Bright Side.

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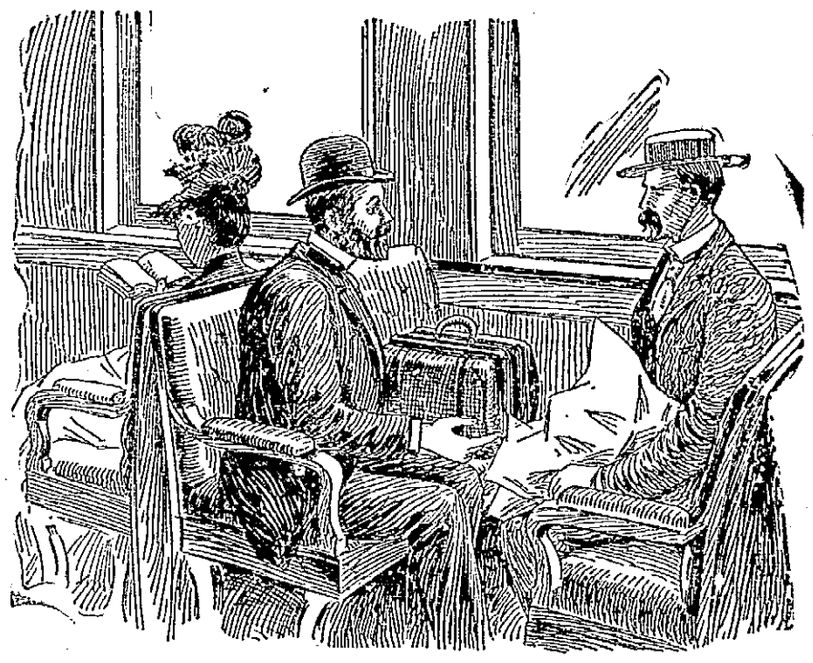

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5-3t. 63 W. Sixth St.

A Quiet Wedding.

This morning, at seven o'clock, at St. Mary's church, Rev. Nonnen officiating, a very quiet wedding took place, the contracting parties being Mr. Geo. Shephard, of near Harrisonville, and Miss Emma Lauter, of West Ninth street. The attendants were Mr. Edward Lauter, brother of the bride, and Miss Anna Koerner, cousin of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple were driven to the bride's home, where an elegant wedding breakfast was served to the members of the families of the contracting parties, after which the happy couple left for their new home at Harrisonville, O. The Times wishes them much joy and happiness.

Notice to Water Consumers.

Water tax is due Nov. 1st. If paid in advance on or before the 26th of Nov. a discount of 5 per cent will be allowed. FLOYD L. SMITH,
4-20t Secretary.

An Anxious Father.

The fact that Harry Donaldson, a member of Company H, remained in Columbus yesterday has caused his friends considerable uneasiness. His father has been telegraphing to Columbus all day and can hear nothing from him. He is a member of the hospital corps and the supposition is that he is waiting to be mustered out and receive his pay, but his father thinks he is sick and will go to Columbus this evening. The boys say Harry went out to get shaved yesterday and missed the train, but they cannot account for his failure to come home or send some word.

Lump Coal.

Just in a fine lot of Wellston lump coal. Call up telephone 225. JOHN FLANNIGAN. 5-4t

Card from Grand Marshal.

Portsmouth, O., Nov. 8, 1898.

I take this method of expressing my thanks and appreciation to the members of my staff for their prompt and efficient work, both in the formation of the parade and during the march. Every one of them did his duty with neatness and dispatch.

All credit is given to the fraternal societies and all others who took part in the parade, for their magnificent appearance and soldierly movements.

I also desire to thank the people of Portsmouth and all visitors for observing the request made in supplemental order issued Saturday in reference to distributing themselves along the line of march so as not to obstruct the movements of the parade.

C. MILSTEAD.

Save money by going to H. D. Oberling for hardware.

THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio. — Cloudy, colder tonight; Wednesday, cloudy; probably showers in southwestern portion.

A Reception to Company H.

The King's Daughters of the Second Presbyterian church will hold a reception in honor of Company H on next Friday evening, November 11th. Dr. Alderson will deliver a short address of welcome and there will also be a literary and musical program. All members of the church and congregation and their friends are kindly invited to come out and meet the boys. The song which Miss Mary Pursell composed and dedicated to Co. H, upon their departure last April, entitled, "To Arms Ye Brave Americans!" will, by request, be one of the numbers of the program.

THE MENU

For the Banquet to Company H to Be Given Wednesday Evening.

The committees on banquet and reception are making elaborate preparations for the reception to be given Company H Wednesday night at Dice's hall. As stated yesterday, the boys of the company will be banquetted Wednesday evening at 5:30 o'clock at Seel's hall. Mr. Seel has prepared the following menu, which will be served:

Oysters—Raw and Escalloped
Cold Turkey Celery
Pickles Olives Cheese
White and Brown Bread
Ice Cream Cake Fruit Bon Bons
Coffee Tea Milk
Cigars

After the banquet the company will proceed to Dice's hall, where citizens in general are invited to attend. The reception will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

A HAT

Got Dr. George M. Marshall Into Lots of Trouble.

It Was Stolen by Ironton Soldier Boys and Taken to That City Before It Was Finally Recovered.

This is the story of a hat. It was not a common, everyday hat, but a regular well, up-to-date silk tile. It was a pretty hat to gaze upon, but it caused its owner a lot of trouble last Sunday night.

The owner of the hat was Dr. George M. Marshall. He came down from Columbus Sunday night on professional business and brought the hat with him. On the train was a crowd of Ironton soldier boys, who had been mustered out of service the day before. They viewed Marshall's hat with great longing and finally decided to take it home with them as a trophy. One of the boys darted up to Marshall, grabbed the hat off his head and with a "Ta ta, Doc," disappeared.

The train pulled out, and with it went "Doc" Marshall's hat. He procured a lot of matches and went up to the N. & W. track from Waller street to Offnere, searching for his hat, thinking the boys may have thrown it off the train. He failed to find it and then telegraphed to Ironton to the police. Chief Mittlebauser boarded the train when it pulled in and recovered the tile, and Marshall once more rejoices in his "ball keg." He will not wear it among soldiers any more, however.

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Special Values

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New Castor Shades—Fine Linings.

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Child's Cloaks that are Neat and Well Made.

See our All-Wool Eiderdown Cloaks, with extra wide skirts, in the New Blue, Red, Green and White. Price..... **$1.50**

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New styles in Jackets, just received, at pleasing low prices.

See our All-Wool Covert Cloth Jackets, all satin lined, handsomely made in the latest box front styles, for only..... **$6.50**

See the All Silk Lined Jackets of all wool cloth that we are selling at..... **$7.50**

Here is a special for you that you can't buy every day. It's a Persian Yoke, electric seal bottom, red satin lined, collarette as good as any $8.50 collarette in town. Special for..... **$5.50**

Here is another—a Krimmer Yoke and electric skirt, satin lined collarette—for **$5.00.**

Many other Bargains that will pay you to see at the

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Men's Shoes, solid and stylish, all styles, worth $1.50, our price now	99
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Men's Shoes, double soles, all the latest styles, worth $2 50, our price now	1 49
Men's Shoes, in Box calf and Iona calf, black and tan, double extending soles, latest styles, worth $3 00, our price now	1 99
Men's Shoes, Helmers, Bettman & Co.'s make, in black and winter tan, Goodyear welt, latest and newest style and make, in all lasts, worth $4 and $4.50, our price now	2 75
Every pair is new and nobby—no trash—and the little prices will make your heart glad.	
Ladies' Shoes, dongola and glove grain, button and lace, stylish and durable, worth $1.50, our price	99
Ladies' Shoes, in black vici kid, Sachs Shoe M'f'g Co.'s make, latest and newest style and make, a bargain at $2, our price now	$1 49
Ladies' Shoes, Goodyear welt and turn, latest and newest style and make, a bargain at $3.00, our price now	1 99
Child's Shoes, in Dongola and Kangaroo Calf, sizes 6 to 8, worth 75c, for	49
School Shoes, solid and durable, sizes 9 to 12, a bargain at 85c, our price now	59
School Shoes, stylish and durable, for boys and girls, all styles and all sizes, a bargain at $1 and $1.25, our price now 69c and	74

We are giving away FREE handsome Dewey Bronze Hat Rack and Mirror to our customers.

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Repeated in Dress Goods, Underwear, Corsets Hosiery, and Ready Made Wrappers.

Dress Goods Values at Steahly Bros. This Week.

8 yd. pattern Brocades, all colors	$ .97
7 yd. pattern Wool Serge, all colors	1.05
7 yd. " " " "	1.40
7 yd. " " " "	1.75
7 yd. " all wool Serge "	2.03
6 yd. " Black Brocades	1 50
7 yd. " All Wool Covert Cloth	1.75

Underwear Values at Steahly Bros This Week.

Children's Heavy Fleeced Underwear	5c each
Ladies' " " "	12½c each
Men's " " "	25c each
Men's extra " " "	39c each

Corset Valaes at Steahly Bros. This Week.

Corsets worth 45c	at 25c
" " 50c	at 39c
" " 75c	at 49c

Hosiery Values at Steahly Bros. This Week.

Children's heavy fleece lined Hose	10c pr
Ladies' ribbed, fleece lined Hose	10c pr
Men's heavy cotton half Hose	5c pr
Men's heavy woolen half Hose	10c pr
Children's heavy wool Hose	11c pr
Ladies' heavy wool Hose	15c pr

Values in Ready Made Wrappers at Steahly Bros. This Week.

Wrappers made of best Calico	50c each
" " Simpson Calico	55c each
" " best Calico	75c each
" " Russian Fleece	$1.00 each
" " " "	1.25 each
" " " "	1.49 each

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